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The Kutahya mill will have an annual capacity of 12,000 tons of sugar from 80,000 tons of sugar beets, while the Kayseri mill will produce 27,000 tons of sugar from 180,000 tons of beets.

In addition, studies are being made in connection with three more plants in the Burdur, the Malatya-Elazig, and the Erzurum — Erzincan-Gumushane areas. Producers and banks in these areas will finance the projects.

BOOST SULPHUR PRODUCTION -- Ankara, Zafer, 22 Feb 1953

Present expansion of the Keciborlu Sulphur Works will increase Turkey's annual sulphur production from 7,000 to 15,000 tons. Construction now under way will be completed this year.

BOOST LIGNITE PRODUCTION -- Ankara, Zafer, 23 Feb 1953

Efforts are under way to increase Turkish lignite production. Washing installations were placed in operation at the Soma Lignite Works last year; daily capacity is 1,500-1,600 tons, which will later be raised to 2,000 tons. Installation of similar equipment is under way at the Degirmensaz Lignite Works; this equipment has a daily capacity of 1,000 tons.

Washing equipment for the Tuncbilek Lignite Works has been ordered; the equipment will be assembled this year and will be placed in operation in 1954. It will have a daily capacity of 2,000 tons.

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